

PETITION FROM THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE
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WHITEWATER, WISCONSIN
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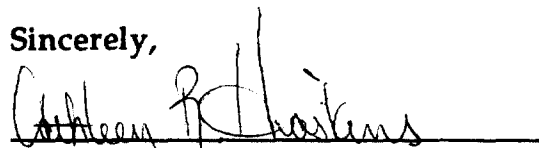
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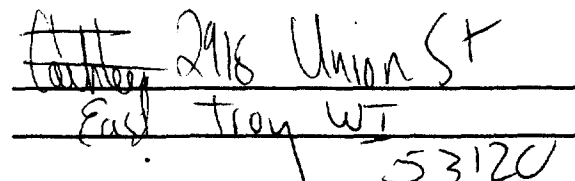
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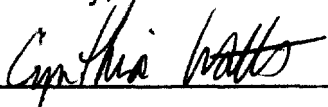
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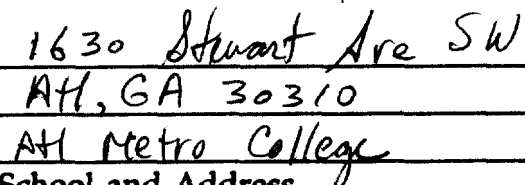
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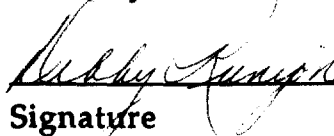
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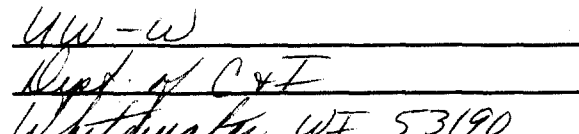
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Representatives Gingrich, Fields, etc.:

We are writing to request that you use your office to promote the full use of the public airwaves on behalf of our nation's children. As you know, the public interest obligations for broadcasters are so vague that they are practically unenforceable. Mark Fowler called them "legal fiction."

As America enters the age of digital information, broadcasters argue that they should receive spectrum for advanced television for free, because they are public trustees. We, the undersigned, teachers who work with the young of this nation, urge you to make broadcasters accountable to the public whose resources they use.

Under the law there are only two special classes of citizens in broadcasting: politicians and children. Many of you benefit from the explicit provisions of the law's Equal Time provision. Certainly our children are also deserving of similar benefits as authorized by the 1990 Children's T.V. Act (MM No. 93-48).

Specifically, we urge you to:

Support FCC Reed Hundt in his efforts to establish a minimum quantitative requirement for such programming, such as one hour a day between 7 and 10 p.m., and to further define the "educational and informational" programming requirement in the Children's Television Act.

Support public broadcasting, from early childhood programming to dedicated classroom instruction. Public broadcasting is a vital national resource for education and for our children.

We urge you to consider these points for one simple reason: Our children are the public interest. They are the future of our country. Broadcasters should honor their needs as the law requires and the public deserves.

Sincerely,



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